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MAYOR

March 22, 2023

The Honorable Phil Mendelson, Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

On behalf of the residents of Washington, DC, I am pleased to submit to the Council of the District of Columbia my Fiscal Year 2024 Proposed Budget and Financial Plan, *A Fair Shot*.¹

The Fiscal Year 2024 Budget is being delivered at a critical juncture for our city. As most of our economy recovers from the pandemic, we are realizing, with more clarity and certainty, the ongoing and long-term impacts of telework on our commercial real estate sector and our downtown – the economic engine of DC. The latest forecasts from our Chief Financial Officer show a continued decline in this crucial area, leading to a significant drop in revenues over the next four years. At the same time, the historic influx of federal stimulus funding is ending and will, in large part, not be available after FY 2024. These are the sobering financial facts we are confronting. We cannot maintain the level of growth in new government spending that was spurred by temporary federal stimulus funds. We must also act with urgency to address the long-term health of our economy by bringing back our downtown.

This budget reflects many tough choices and it was formed with an eye towards how we get the best outcomes for our residents at this challenging time. Our FY 2024 investments are strategic, prudent, and focused on ensuring an equitable comeback for Washington, DC. We are fortunate that even in tight times, the District remains well-resourced and able to continue delivering world-class programs and services. The FY 2024 Fair Shot Budget focuses on making investments in these key areas:

- **Driving DC's comeback, downtown recovery, and long-term economic growth by maximizing investments to grow our population, our jobs, and our tax base.**

The FY 2024 Budget maintains our investments in business retention, expansion, and attraction, as well as expands incentives to convert more office buildings into residential units downtown. We are making significant investments to expand development through Fletcher Johnson (\$52 million) and Poplar Point (\$11 million), and the budget includes \$25 million in infrastructure improvements to bring a full-service grocery store to East Capitol Gateway.

- **Investing in our residents, families, and neighborhoods through programs that help residents grow their incomes.**

The FY 2024 Budget includes an \$8 million increase to support the Home Purchase Assistance Program, a \$13 million increase to help more residents grow their income and avoid benefit cliffs through Career MAP, \$6 million to support our commercial property acquisition fund, and \$1 million to expand Strong Families, Strong Futures and provide more residents with direct cash assistance.

- **Building a safer, stronger DC by reducing crime and increasing opportunities.**

The FY 2024 Budget includes \$3.4 million to help the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) hire civilians to take the burden off sworn officers as well as expand diversity and wellbeing and support organizational change efforts. It also continues a \$5.4 million investment to provide recruitment and retention incentives to hire more MPD officers, along with \$1.2 million to stand up a new paramedic school to increase the pipeline of EMS first responders.

- **Addressing the spectrum of mental and behavioral health needs in the community through a whole-of-government approach to building a healthier DC.**

The FY 2024 Budget also recognizes the spectrum of mental and behavioral health needs in our community and includes \$2.5 million to establish a fund that will support the recruitment of hard-to-fill District government positions, including 911 call takers and social workers. The budget also includes \$9.5 million to open a second sobering center, \$24 million to increase the Medicaid reimbursement rates for behavioral health services, and \$1.7 million to stand up a new unit of case workers who will support residents living in scattered-site buildings.

- **Creating pathways to success for students by investing in childcare, out of school time programming, and in our extraordinary teacher workforce.**

The FY 2024 Budget includes \$5 million to expand free after-school opportunities, specifically for students with disabilities. It creates new pathways to teaching by establishing a \$1.6 million teacher apprenticeship program. It also increases eligibility for the childcare subsidy from 250% of the federal poverty line to 300%, which will allow more families to receive this critical service.

- **Getting back to basics by improving core government services and the customer experience.**

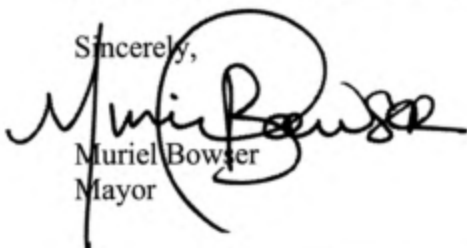
The FY 2024 Budget includes \$3.4 million to replace all supercan and recycling cans over the next eight years, \$4.5 million to modernize digital services (including overhauling the DC.gov website), and \$3.5 million for improving customer-facing IT services at the Department of Buildings and the Department of Licensing and Consumer Protection.

- **Building sustainability and resiliency into the budget by rightsizing our investments and eliminating low-return programs.**

The FY 2024 Budget eliminates 750 vacant government positions, funds most programs at their pre-pandemic levels, and streamlines programs that are not getting a significant return on investment. These changes build sustainability into our longer-term budgeting.


As I have said before, when we work together, there is nothing that we cannot take on. The FY 2024 Budget makes the necessary investments to promote and sustain the District's comeback by unlocking the full potential of our residents, our neighborhoods, and our businesses.

Sincerely,



Muriel Bowser
Mayor

¹ Included in this submission are the "Fiscal Year 2024 Local Budget Act of 2023," the "Fiscal Year 2024 Federal Portion Budget Request Act of 2023," and the "Fiscal Year 2024 Budget Support Act of 2023." In addition, I am submitting the following accompanying measures: the "Fiscal Year 2023 Revised Local Budget Emergency Act of 2023," the "Fiscal Year 2023 Revised Local Budget Temporary Act of 2023," and the "Fiscal Year 2023 Revised Local Budget Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2023."


Chairman Phil Mendelson
at the request of the Mayor

AN ACT

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To enact and amend provisions of law necessary to support the Fiscal Year 2024 budget.

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78 **SUBTITLE A. TECHNOLOGY GRANTS, PROGRAMS, AND SECURITY**

79 Sec. 1001. Short title.

80 This subtitle may be cited as the “Office of the Chief Technology Officer Amendment
81 Act of 2023”.

82 Sec. 1002. The Office of the Chief Technology Officer Establishment Act of 1998,
83 effective March 26, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-175; D.C. Official Code § 1-1401 *et seq.*), is amended as
84 follows:

85 (a) Section 1814 (D.C. Official Code § 1-1403) is amended as follows:

86 (1) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “and management” and
87 inserting the phrase “management, and security” in its place.

88 (2) New paragraphs (7A), (7B), and (7C) are added to read as follows:

89 “(7A) Protect the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of the District
90 government’s information technology systems and assets;

91 “(7B) Protect the District government’s information technology systems and
92 assets, and the information on those systems and assets, from cyberattacks, breaches, theft,
93 damage, disruption, and misdirection;

94 “(7C) Detect, mitigate, defend, remediate, and respond to cybersecurity threats
95 and security vulnerabilities in the District government’s information technology systems and
96 assets;”.

97 (3) Paragraph (11) is amended by striking the phrase “services;” and inserting the
98 phrase “services, including by offering telecommunications services and infrastructure access,
99 for which the Office may charge a fee, to internet service providers and other entities;” in its
100 place.

(4) The lead-in text of paragraph (12) is amended by striking the phrase “paragraph (10)” and inserting the phrase “paragraph (11)” in its place.

(5) Paragraph (13) is amended by striking the phrase “of funding Congress granted to the District under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, approved March 11, 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2; 135 Stat. 4), and appropriated to the Office”.

(b) Section 1816 (D.C. Official Code § 1-1405) is amended as follows:

(1) The lead-in language to subsection (a) is amended by striking the number “3” and inserting the number “4” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a semicolon in its place.

(3) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the period and inserting the phrase “; and” in its place.

(4) A new paragraph (4) is added to read as follows:

“(4) Security Services, which shall be headed by a Chief Information Security Officer, appointed by the Chief Technology Officer, and which shall be responsible for:

“(A) Leading the District government’s cybersecurity efforts, including managing the risk of cyberattacks and breaches, and detecting, mitigating, defending, and responding to cybersecurity threats and security vulnerabilities in the District government’s network and systems; and

“(B) Establishing an information technology risk management and compliance program throughout the District government that may include governance, development, implementation, and management of a formal process for systems authorization that includes a risk assessment, categorization of information and systems, selection and

implementation of controls, assessment of controls, authorization to operate, and continuous monitoring.”.

(c) Section 1816a (D.C. Official Code § 1-1406) is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 1816a. Jurisdiction.

“(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, the authority of the Office shall apply to all District government agencies, including independent agencies.

“(b)(1) The authority of the Office under sections 1813 and 1814 shall not apply to the Council, the Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, or the Office of the Attorney General.

“(2) Notwithstanding paragraph (1) of this subsection, the Council, the Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, and the Office of the Attorney General each may enter into written agreements with the Office to manage, assist, or coordinate the operations of their information and communications technologies and carry out any responsibility for the Council, the Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, or the Office of the Attorney General that the Office may carry out for other District government agencies.”.

SUBTITLE B. RETURN-TO-THE-OFFICE AND TELEWORK POLICIES

Sec. 1011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Rollback of Pandemic-Related Situational Telework Arrangements and Establishment of Standards for Post-Pandemic Telework Arrangements Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 1012. The District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-601.01 *et seq.*), is amended by adding a new section 201a to read as follows:

“Sec. 201a. Telework.

147 “(a) Each agency may implement a telework policy that allows routine and situational
148 telework for its employees; provided, that:

149 “(1) Such policy:

150 “(A) Shall not allow routine telework of more than 2 days per week for an
151 employee if the employee’s regular workweek comprises 5 or more workdays;

152 “(B) Shall not allow routine telework of more than 1 day per week for an
153 employee if the employee’s regular workweek comprises 4 workdays;

154 “(C) Shall not allow any routine telework for an employee if the
155 employee’s regular workweek comprises 3 or fewer workdays; and

156 “(D) Shall not allow routine telework at a location other than the
157 employee’s home address of record or, to the extent not inconsistent with a rule promulgated
158 pursuant to subsection (i) of this section, another location approved by the personnel authority or
159 agency; and

160 “(2) Routine or situational telework by an employee under such policy shall be:

161 “(A) Subject to a written agreement between the employee and the
162 personnel authority or the employee’s agency, which agreement shall be entered into before the
163 employee engages in such telework;

164 “(B) Approved by the agency head and the employee’s direct supervisor
165 before the employee engages in such telework; and

166 “(C) Subject to rescission by the personnel authority or agency head, in
167 their sole discretion, at any time.”.

168 “(b) A telework policy authorized by subsection (a) of this section may include such
169 additional conditions, restrictions, and requirements as the relevant personnel authority or agency
170 may impose.

171 “(c) The restrictions set forth in subsection (a)(1) of this section shall not apply to an
172 employee if routine telework for a greater number of days per week than allowed under
173 subsection (a)(1) of this section is authorized as a reasonable accommodation for the employee
174 under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

175 “(d) The Mayor may authorize a personnel authority or agency to implement a telework
176 policy that allows an employee to telework for a greater number of days per week than allowed
177 under subsection (a)(1) of this section, or is otherwise inconsistent with this section, if:

178 “(1) The Mayor determines that unusual circumstances exist that warrant an
179 authorization and that such authorization is in the public interest;

180 “(2) The Mayor determines such authorization is necessary to attract or retain an
181 employee filling, or applying to fill, a hard-to-fill position;

182 “(3) The Mayor determines that such authorization is appropriate and in the public
183 interest due to the nature of the responsibilities of the position filled by the employee;

184 “(4) The personnel authority or agency proposes, and the Mayor approves, a pilot
185 telework policy that is inconsistent with subsection (a)(1) of this section but which the Mayor
186 determines is in the public interest to explore potential modifications to the District’s telework
187 standards.

188 “(e) By October 15 of each year, each personnel authority shall submit a report to the
189 Mayor and the Council that includes the following information:

“ (1) The name, grade, step, position title, and salary of each employee approved to engage in routine telework;

“ (2) The total number of days each such employee is authorized to engage in routine telework per workweek;

“ (3) The total number of employees working under an approved routine telework agreement; and

“ (4) The total number of employees of the agency.

“ (f) The Mayor may conduct periodic audits of agency telework programs for the purpose of ensuring compliance with this section.

“ (g) The Department of General Services (“DGS”) may analyze the impact of the use of telework by employees of any agency on the space needs of the agency. Based on the results of the analysis, DGS may reduce the amount of space allocated to the agency under a lease or other arrangement and may reallocate to another agency the space made available by the reduction.

“ (h) No personnel authority or agency head may enter into a collective bargaining agreement that includes or requires a telework policy that is inconsistent with this section.

“ (i) For the purposes of this section, the term:

“ (1) “Agency” shall have the meaning set forth in section 301(1) and shall include agencies not otherwise subject to this act, except for the Council and agencies of the legislative branch of the District government.

“ (2) “Routine telework” means a telework arrangement in which an employee is authorized to telework on an ongoing basis.

“ (3) “Situational telework” means a temporary telework arrangement in which the employee is authorized to telework due to specific, temporary personal circumstances which

prevent the employee from working from a District government office or worksite or for another specific, temporary circumstance approved by the personnel authority.

“(4) “Telework” means an arrangement in which an employee performs employment duties at their home or other location that is not a District government office or worksite during hours that constitute their official tour of duty.

“(i) The Mayor, pursuant to Title I of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, approved October 21, 1968 (82 Stat. 1204; D.C. Official Code § 2-501 *et seq.*), may issue rules to implement the provisions of this section.”.

TITLE II. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REGULATION

SUBTITLE A. LAND PURCHASES FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Sec. 2001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Land Purchase Partnership Program Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2002. Land Purchase Partnership Program.

(a) There is hereby authorized the Land Purchase Partnership Program (“Program”).

(b) Under the Program, the Mayor may acquire land on which privately-owned rental or homeownership housing is located, or on which privately-owned rental or homeownership housing is to be constructed, and the Mayor may thereafter enter into a ground lease of the land to the owner or developer of the rental or homeownership housing, subject to subsection (c) of this section.

(c) As a condition of any ground lease of land entered into under subsection (b) of this section, the Mayor shall require that the owner of the land file a covenant in the land records of the District requiring that during the term of the ground lease at least 50% of the housing units on the land shall be affordable to households earning 80% of the median family income or less.

(d) A lease entered into under this section shall not be subject to An Act Authorizing the sale of certain real estate in the District of Columbia no longer required for public purposes, approved August 5, 1939 (53 Stat. 1211; D.C. Official Code § 10-801 *et seq.*).

(e) The Mayor may impose fees related to the administration of the Program, including fees for application to, and participation in, the Program.

(f) For the purposes of this section, the term “median family income” means the median family income for a household in the Washington Metropolitan Statistical Area as set forth in the periodic calculation provided by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (“HUD”), adjusted for family size, without regard to any adjustments made by HUD for the purposes of the programs it administers.

(g) The Mayor, pursuant to Title I of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, approved October 21, 1968 (82 Stat. 1204; D.C. Official Code § 2-501 *et seq.*), may issue rules to implement the provisions of this subtitle.

**SUBTITLE B. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX
CREDIT**

Sec. 2011. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “District of Columbia Low-Income Housing Tax Credit Amendment Act of 2023”.

Section 2012. Chapter 48 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(a) Section 47-4801 is amended as follows:

(1) A new paragraph (5A) is added to read as follows:

258 “(5A) “Eligible project” means a rental housing development in the District that
259 includes:

260 “(A) More than 5 housing units; and

261 “(B) Units that will be affordable to tenants at an income level no greater
262 than 80% of MFI.”.

263 (2) A new paragraph (6A) is added to read as follows:

264 “(6A) “MFI” means the median family income for a household in the Washington
265 Metropolitan Statistical Area as set forth in the periodic calculation provided by the U.S.
266 Department of Housing and Urban Development (“HUD”), adjusted for family size, without
267 regard to any adjustments made by HUD for the purposes of the programs it administers.”.

268 (2) Paragraph (8) is repealed.

269 (b) Section 47-4802 is amended as follows:

270 (1) Subsection (d) is amended to read as follows:

271 “(d) The Department may award District of Columbia low-income housing tax credits to
272 eligible projects in accordance with § 47-4803.”.

273 (2) A new subsection (e) is added to read as follows:

274 “(e) The total credits available for the Department to award are as follows:

275 “(1) In fiscal year 2024, \$7,800,000;

276 “(2) In fiscal year 2025, \$8,400,000;

277 “(3) In fiscal year 2026, \$8,820,000;

278 “(4) In fiscal year 2027, \$9,261,000; and

279 “(5) In each subsequent fiscal year, 105% of the total credits available for award
280 in the prior fiscal year.”.

(c) Section 47-4803 is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

“(a)(1) An owner of an eligible project may be awarded a District of Columbia low-income housing tax credit with respect to that eligible project. The amount of the credit shall not exceed 9% of the project’s qualified basis, as determined in accordance with paragraph (3) of this subsection.

“(2) Each District of Columbia low-income housing tax credit shall be awarded on a competitive basis.

“(3) The qualified basis of a project shall be determined pursuant to the standards set forth in section 42(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, approved October 22, 1986 (100 Stat. 2189; 26 U.S.C. § 42(c)).”.

(2) Subsection (b)(1) is amended to read as follows:

“(1) If an owner of a project that was awarded or otherwise granted a District of Columbia low-income housing tax credit transfers, sells, or assigns the credit to another taxpayer, pursuant to § 47-4806, the District of Columbia low-income housing tax credit shall not be taken, pursuant to subsection (c) of this section, against taxes imposed under this title unless the owner has filed with the Department, in a form determined by the Department, an affidavit certifying that the value received by the owner of the eligible project was used to ensure financial feasibility of the eligible project.”.

(3) Subsection (d)(2) is amended by:

(A) Striking the phrase “An owner of a qualified project” and inserting the phrase “An owner” in its place; and

(B) Striking the phrase “The owner of a qualified project” and inserting the phrase “The owner” in its place.

(4) Subsection (f)(1) is amended by:

(A) Striking the phrase “qualified project” and inserting the phrase “eligible project” in its place; and

(B) Striking the phrase “qualified District of Columbia project” and inserting the phrase “eligible project” in its place.

(d) Section 47-4804 is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended by:

(A) Striking the phrase “The owner of a qualified project eligible for the” and inserting the phrase “An owner of a project that claims a” in its place;

(B) Striking the phrase “eligibility statement” and inserting the word “statement” in its place;

(C) Striking the phrase “with respect to the qualified project” and inserting the phrase “with respect to the project” in its place; and

(D) Striking the phrase “with respect to such qualified project” and inserting the phrase “with respect to the project” in its place.

(2) Subsection (b) is amended as follows:

(A) The existing text is designated as paragraph (1).

(B) A new paragraph (2) is added to read as follows:

“(2) This subsection shall apply to District of Columbia low-income housing tax credits awarded before October 1, 2024.”.

(3) A new subsection (c) is added to read as follows:

“(c)(1) If a project that claims a District of Columbia low-income tax credit, or the owner of such a project, is found to be non-compliant pursuant to § 47-4807, the Department may recapture credits held by the project or owner or impose a fine on the owner.

“(2) This subsection shall apply to District of Columbia low-income housing tax credits awarded on or after October 1, 2024.”.

(e) Section 47-4806 is amended by striking the phrase “qualified project” wherever it appears and inserting the word “project” in its place.

(f) Section 47-4808 is amended by striking the phrase “a qualified District of Columbia project” and inserting the phrase “a project” in its place.

(g) Section 47-4810 is amended by striking the phrase “qualified project” and inserting the word “project” in its place.

SUBTITLE C. HOME PURCHASE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AMENDMENT

Sec. 2021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Home Purchase Assistance Program Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2022. Section 3a of the Home Purchase Assistance Fund Act of 1978, effective July 1, 2016 (D.C. Law 21-139; D.C. Official Code § 42-2602.01), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a)(2) is amended by striking the phrase “no qualifying applicant shall receive less than \$70,000” and inserting the phrase “no qualifying applicant shall be approved to receive less than \$70,000” in its place.

(b) Subsection (e)(1)(B) is repealed.

SUBTITLE D. HOUSING PRODUCTION TRUST FUND

Sec. 2031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Housing Production Trust Fund Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2032. The Housing Production Trust Fund Act of 1989, effective March 16, 1989 (D.C. Law 7-202; D.C. Official Code § 42-2801 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 2 (D.C. Official Code § 42-2801) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraphs (1), (1A), and (1B) are redesignated as paragraphs (1A), (1B), and (1C) respectively.

(2) A new paragraph (1) is added to read as follows:

“(1) “Affordable dwelling unit” means a dwelling that is offered for rent or for sale for residential occupancy and is made available to, and affordable to, a household whose income is equal to, or less than, 120% of area median income, as a result of a federal or District requirement.”.

(3) Paragraph (5A) is redesignated as paragraph (5B).

(4) A new paragraph (5A) is added to read as follows:

“(5A) “Inclusionary unit” shall have the meaning set forth in section 101(3) of the Inclusionary Zoning Implementation Amendment Act of 2006, effective March 14, 2007 (D.C. Law 16-275; D.C. Official Code § 6-1041.01(3)).”.

(a) Section 3(b) (D.C. Official Code § 42-2802(b)) is amended by adding a new paragraph (6A) to read as follows:

“(6A) Funds for the purchase by the Mayor of inclusionary units and affordable dwelling units for the purpose of reselling such units to eligible households;”.

(2) Subsection (c) is amended as follows:

(A) Paragraph (17) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a semicolon in its place.

(B) Paragraph (18) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting the phrase “; and” in its place.

(C) A new paragraph (19) is added to read as follows:

“(19) Revenue received by the District from the resale by the District of inclusionary units and affordable dwelling units previously purchased by the District with money from the Fund.”.

SUBTITLE E. TAX ABATEMENTS FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING IN HIGH-NEED AREAS

Sec. 2041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Tax Abatements for Affordable Housing in High-Need Areas Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2042. Section 47-860 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

(1) The lead-in language is amended by striking the phrase “abated for the period” and inserting the phrase “abated each year by the amount certified by the Mayor for that year during the period” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “housing area;” and inserting the phrase “housing area or, for competitive processes initiated by the Mayor pursuant to section (b) of this section before January 1, 2023, is located in the Upper Northeast or Rock Creek East planning areas identified in the District’s Housing Equity Report published in October 2019 or

within 1,000 feet in any direction beyond the Upper Northeast or Rock Creek East planning area boundaries;” in its place.

(b) Subsection (b) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “\$4 million” and inserting the phrase “\$6 million” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase “\$4 million” and inserting the phrase “\$6 million” in its place.

(c) Subsection (g)(6) is amended to read as follows:

“(6) “High-need affordable housing area” means the Near Northwest, Rock Creek West, and Capitol Hill planning areas identified in the District’s Housing Equity Report, published in October 2019, plus 1,000 feet in any direction beyond any of those 3 planning area boundaries.”.

SUBTITLE F. DIRECT CASH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Sec. 2051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Direct Cash Assistance Program Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2052. Section 2032(p) of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development Limited Grant-Making Authority Act of 2012, effective September 20, 2012 (D.C. Law 19-168; D.C. Official Code § 1-328.04(p)), is amended as follows:

(a) Paragraph (1) is amended to read as follows:

“(1) Notwithstanding section 1094 of the Grant Administration Act of 2013, effective December 24, 2013 (D.C. Law 20-61; D.C. Official Code § 1-328.13), the Deputy Mayor shall have grant-making authority for the purpose of providing funds to support District-

based direct cash assistance programs or pilot programs that provide unrestricted cash assistance directly to individuals or households and that are administered by a nonprofit organization or organizations.”.

(b) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “By September 30, 2022,” and inserting the phrase “By September 30 of each year in which a grant is awarded pursuant to paragraph (1) of this subsection,” in its place.

(c) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase “By December 1, 2022,” and inserting the phrase “By December 1 of each year in which a grant is awarded pursuant to paragraph (1) of this subsection,” in its place.

SUBTITLE G. DOWNTOWN HOUSING

Sec. 2061. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Housing in Downtown Abatement Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2062. Chapter 8 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(a) The table of contents is amended by adding a new section designation to read as follows:

“47-860.02a. Tax abatements for housing in downtown – Exemptions.”.

(b) Section 47-860.02(a) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (2) is amended to read as follows:

“(2)(i) At least 8% of the housing units (“affordable housing units”) developed or redeveloped on the real property are affordable to households earning 60% or less of the median family income for a period of at least 20 years; or

“(ii) At least 15% of the affordable housing units developed or redeveloped on the real property are affordable to households earning 80% or less of the median family income for a period of at least 20 years.

(2) Paragraph (6) is repealed.

(c) A new section 47-860.02a is added to read as follows:

“47-860.02a. Tax abatements for housing in downtown – Exemptions.

“(a) Each property for which the Mayor has approved a tax abatement under § 47-860.02(a)(8) shall be:

“(1) Exempt from the requirement to enter into a First Source Agreement; and

“(2) For the first 15 years after a certificate of occupancy has been issued for the property, exempt from the requirements of the Tenant Opportunity to Purchase Act of 1980, effective September 10, 1980 (D.C. Law 3-86; D.C. Official Code § 42-3404.01 *et seq.*) (“TOPA”).

“(b) Before an individual enters into a lease for a housing unit located on a property that is exempt from TOPA under subsection (a)(2) of this section, the owner of the property shall provide written notice to the individual of the property’s exemption from TOPA.”.

(d) Section 47-860.03(b) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a semicolon in its place.

(2) Paragraph (3) is repealed.

(3) New paragraphs (4) and (5) are added to read as follows:

“(4) For Fiscal Year 2028, up to \$41 million; and

“(5) For each succeeding fiscal year after Fiscal Year 2028, up to an amount equal

to 104% of the prior year’s cap.”.

SUBTITLE H. CREATIVE AND OPEN SPACE MODERNIZATION

Sec. 2071. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Creative and Open Space Modernization Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2072. Section 47-4665(a)(7)(A)(iii) of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended to read as follows:

“(iii) Deriving at least 51% of its gross revenues earned in the District from business operations in a sector identified as a priority industry in the District’s Economic Development Strategy, as such strategy may be updated from time to time.”.

SUBTITLE I. OFFICE OF PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS FUND AND BUDGET

Sec. 2081. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Office of Public-Private Partnerships Fund and Budget Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2082. Sections 105 and 106 of the Public-Private Partnership Act of 2014, effective March 11, 2015 (D.C. Law 20-228; D.C. Official Code §§ 2-272.03 and 2-272.04), are repealed.

SUBTITLE J. TOURISM RECOVERY TAX

Sec. 2091. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Tourism Recovery Tax Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2092. Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

(a) Section 47-2002.03a is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

486 (A) The existing text is designated as paragraph (1).

487 (B) The newly designated paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase

488 “A tax,” and inserting the phrase “Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, a tax,”

489 in its place.

490 (C) A new paragraph (2) is added to read as follows:

491 “(2) For the period of time beginning on April 1, 2023, through March 31, 2027,

492 the tax imposed by paragraph (1) of this subsection shall be at the rate of 1.3%.”.

493 (2) A new subsection (d) is added to read as follows:

494 “(d) With respect to the expenditure of any tax revenue received pursuant to subsection

495 (a)(2) of this section, Destination DC shall:

496 “(1) Comply with the requirements of section 2346 of the Small, Local, and

497 Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Development and Assistance Act of 2005, effective October

498 20, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-33; D.C. Official Code § 2-218.46);

499 “(2) Consult with the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development,

500 the Washington Convention and Sports Authority, the Restaurant Association Metropolitan

501 Washington, and the Hotel Association of Washington, DC with respect to the intended uses of

502 any such tax revenue received; and

503 “(3) Enter into a memorandum of understanding with the Mayor regarding the use

504 of any tax revenue received pursuant to subsection (a)(2) of this section incorporating such terms

505 and conditions that are deemed appropriate by the Mayor subsequent to the consultations

506 required by paragraph (2) of this subsection.”.

507 (b) Section 47-2202.03 is amended as follows:

508 (1) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

509 (A) The existing text is designated as paragraph (1).

510 (B) The newly designated paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase

511 “A tax,” and inserting the phrase “Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, a tax”

512 in its place.

513 (C) A new paragraph (2) is added to read as follows:

514 “(2) For the period of time beginning on April 1, 2023, through March 31, 2027,

515 the tax imposed by paragraph (1) subsection shall be at the rate of 1.3%.”.

516 (2) A new subsection (e) is added to read as follows:

517 “(e) With respect to the expenditure of any tax revenue received pursuant to subsection

518 (a)(2) of this section, Destination DC shall:

519 “(1) Comply with the requirements of section 2346 of the Small, Local, and

520 Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Development and Assistance Act of 2005, effective October

521 20, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-33; D.C. Official Code § 2-218.46);

522 “(2) Consult with the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development,

523 the Washington Convention and Sports Authority, the Restaurant Association Metropolitan

524 Washington, and the Hotel Association of Washington, DC with respect to the intended uses of

525 any such tax revenue received; and

526 “(3) Enter into a memorandum of understanding with the Mayor regarding the use

527 of any tax revenue received pursuant to subsection (a)(2) of this section incorporating such terms

528 and conditions that are deemed appropriate by the Mayor subsequent to the consultations

529 required by paragraph (2) of this subsection.”.

**SUBTITLE K. OFFICE OF CABLE TELEVISION, FILM, MUSIC, AND
ENTERTAINMENT**

Sec. 2101. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Office of Cable Television, Film, Music, and
Entertainment Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 2102. Section 201(a) of the Office of Cable Television, Film, Music, and
Entertainment Amendment Act of 2015, effective October 9, 2002 (D.C. Law 14-193; D.C.
Official Code § 34-1252.01(a)), is amended as follows:

(a) Paragraph (2) is amended to read as follows:

“(2) Managing and producing audio and video content for:

“(A) The government and educational channels;

“(B) Government-operated radio; and

“(C) Other government content distribution platforms;”

(b) A new paragraph (2A) is added to read as follows:

“(2A) Producing video and audio content for District government agencies and
residents;”.

(c) Paragraph 3 is amended as follows:

(1) Subparagraph (G) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a
semicolon in its place.

(2) Subparagraph (H) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting
the phrase “; and” in its place.

(3) A new subparagraph (I) is added to read as follows:

“(I) Implementing the plan to support, preserve, and archive go-go music and its history created pursuant to section 3 of the Go-Go Official Music of the District of Columbia Designation Act of 2020, effective April 11, 2020 (D.C. Law 23-71; D.C. Official Code § 1-167.02).”

TITLE III. PUBLIC SAFETY AND JUSTICE

SUBTITLE A. CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION FUNCTIONS

Sec. 3001. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Criminal Investigation Functions Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 3002. The Department of Forensic Sciences Establishment Act of 2011, effective August 17, 2011 (D.C. Law 19-18; D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 9(a)(13) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.08(a)(13)) is amended by striking the phrase “available or to be made available” and inserting the phrase “available” in its place.

(b) A new section 17a is added to read as follows:

“Sec. 17a. Functions of MPD.

“(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of this act, MPD may carry out the following functions with respect to investigations and other activities under the jurisdiction of MPD and with respect to investigations and other activities for which MPD has been requested to provide assistance:

“(1) Crime scene investigations, including evidence gathering;

“(2) Training regarding the collection and preservation of forensic evidence;

“(3) Digital forensics, including computer forensics;

575 “(4) Firearms test fires and data entry; and

576 “(5) Forensic photography.

577 “(b) The Mayor may transfer to MPD records, equipment, and other assets of DFS
578 pertaining to the functions listed in subsection (a) of this section.

579 Sec. 3003. Applicability.

580 Section 3002(a) shall apply as of the effective date of the Department of Forensic
581 Sciences Establishment Act of 2011, effective August 17, 2011 (D.C. Law 19-18; D.C. Official
582 Code § 5-1501.01 *et seq.*).

583 **SUBTITLE B. TRANSFER OF SAFE PASSAGE PROGRAM**

584 Sec. 3011. Short title.

585 This subtitle may be cited as the “Safe Passages Implementation Amendment Act of
586 2023”.

587 Sec. 3012. The School Proximity Traffic Calming Act of 2000, effective May 23, 2000
588 (D.C. Law 13-111; D.C. Official Code § 38-3101 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

589 (a) Section 2 (D.C. Official Code § 38-3101) is amended as follows:

590 (1) A new paragraph (5A) is added to read as follows:

591 “(5) “DMPSJ” means the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice.”.

592 (2) Paragraph (9) is amended by striking the phrase “overseen by the DME” and
593 inserting the phrase “overseen by the DMPSJ” in its place.

594 (b) Section 2a(a) (not yet codified) is amended as follows:

595 (1) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “within the Office of the
596 DME” and inserting the phrase “within the Office of the DMPSJ” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (2)(F) is amended by striking the phrase “with the DDOT” and inserting the phrase “with the Office of the DME, DDOT” in its place.

(c) Section 2b (not yet codified) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended by:

(A) Striking the phrase “The DME or the DME’s designee” and inserting the phrase “The DMPSJ or the DMPSJ’s designee” in its place; and

(B) Striking the phrase “DME shall” and inserting the phrase “DMPSJ shall” in its place.

(2) Subsection (b)(1) is amended by striking the phrase “The DME shall” and inserting the phrase “The DMPSJ shall” in its place.

(3) Subsection (c)(2) is amended by striking the phrase “by the DME” and inserting the phrase “by the DMPSJ” in its place.

(4) Subsection (d)(2)(B) is amended by striking the phrase “by the DME” and inserting the phrase “by the DMPSJ” in its place.

(5) The lead-in text of subsection (e) is amended by:

(A) Striking the phrase “DME shall” and inserting the phrase “DMPSJ shall” in its place; and

(B) Striking the phrase “of DME” and inserting the phrase “of DMPSJ” in its place.

(5) The lead-in text of subsection (f) is amended by striking the phrase “The DME” both places it appears and inserting the phrase “The DMPSJ” in its place.

(6) Subsection (g) is amended by striking the phrase “The DME” and inserting the phrase “The DMPSJ” in its place.

(d) Section 2c (not yet codified) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a) is amended by striking the phrase “The DME” and inserting the phrase “The DMPSJ” in its place.

(2) Subsection (b) is amended as follows:

(A) Paragraph (1) is amended to read as follows:

“(1) The DMPSJ;”

(B) A new paragraph (1A) is added to read as follows:

“(1A) The DME;”

(3) Subsection (c) is amended by striking the phrase “the Deputy Mayor shall post on DME’s website” and inserting the phrase “the DMPSJ shall post on the Office of the DMPSJ’s website” in its place.

(e) Section 2d(7) (not yet codified) is amended by striking the phrase “with DME” and inserting the phrase “with DMPSJ, DME” in its place.

(f) Section 2h (c)(1)(A) (not yet codified) is amended by striking the phrase “by the DME” and inserting the phrase “by the DMPSJ” in its place.

(g) Section 2i (not yet codified) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (b) is amended as follows:

(A) Paragraph (2) is amended by:

(i) Striking the phrase “by DME” and inserting the phrase “by DMPSJ” in its place; and

(ii) Striking the phrase “the DME’s” and inserting the phrase “the DMPSJ’s” in its place.

(B) Paragraph (3) is amended as follows:

(i) The lead-in text is amended by striking the phrase “by DME” and inserting the phrase “by DMPSJ” in its place.

(ii) Subparagraph (A) is amended by striking the phrase “by DME” and inserting the phrase “by DMPSJ” in its place.

(2) Subsection (e) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “DME and” and inserting the phrase “The Office of the DMPSJ and” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (2)(E) is amended to read as follows:

“(E) The Office of the DME;”

(h) Section 2j(a) (not yet codified) is amended as follows:

(1) The lead-in text is amended by striking the phrase “DME shall publicly post on the DME’s website” and inserting the phrase “the DMPSJ shall publicly post on the Office of the DMPSJ’s website” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (3) is amended by:

(A) Striking the phrase “by DME” and inserting the phrase “by the Office of the DMPSJ” in its place; and

(B) Striking the phrase “to DME” and inserting the phrase “to the Office of the DMPSJ” in its place.

SUBTITLE C. FORENSIC SCIENCE LABORATORY REPORTING

STRUCTURE

Sec. 3021. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Forensic Science Laboratory Reporting Structure Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 3022. The Department of Forensic Sciences Establishment Act of 2011, effective August 17, 2011 (D.C. Law 19-18; D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3(a-1) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.02(a-1)) is amended by striking the phrase “There is established as an independent agency within the executive branch” and inserting the phrase “There is established as a subordinate agency within the executive branch” in its place.

(b) Section 4a (not yet codified) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a)(2) is amended by striking the phrase “deemed disapproved” and inserting the phrase “deemed approved” in its place.

(2) Subsections (c) and (d) are repealed.

(c) Section 5a (not yet codified) is repealed.

Sec. 3023. The District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-601.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 406(b) (D.C. Official Code § 1-604.06(b)) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (30) is amended by striking the semicolon at the end and inserting the phrase “; and” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (31) is repealed.

(b) Section 908 (D.C. Official Code § 1-609.08) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (18) is amended by striking the semicolon at the end and inserting the phrase “; and” in its place.

(2) Paragraph (19) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a period in its place.

(3) Paragraph (20) is repealed.

(c) Section 1052a(g) (D.C. Official Code § 1-610.52a(g)) is amended by adding a new paragraph (1A) to read as follows:

“(1A) Forensic Science Laboratory;”.

Sec. 3024. Applicability.

This subtitle shall apply on the date of applicability of the Restoring Trust and Credibility to Forensic Sciences Amendment Act of 2022, enacted without the Mayor’s signature on January 19, 2023 (D.C. Act 24-780; 70 DCR 937).

SUBTITLE D. CRIMINAL CODE REFORM COMMISSION SUNSET

Sec. 3031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Sunset of the Criminal Code Reform Commission Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 3032. The Criminal Code Reform Commission Establishment Act of 2016, effective October 8, 2016 (D.C. Law 21-160; D.C. Official Code § 3-151 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 3122(c)(1) (D.C. Official Code § 3-151(c)(1)) is amended by striking the phrase “for a term of 3 years” and inserting the phrase “for a term of 3 years or until the Commission is dissolved pursuant to section 3127a, whichever comes first” in its place.

(b) Section 3125 (D.C. Official Code § 3-154) is amended by striking the phrase “annually thereafter” and inserting the phrase “annually thereafter until the Commission is dissolved pursuant to section 3127a” in its place.

(c) A new section 3127a is added to read as follows:

“Sec. 3127a. Sunset.

“This part shall expire on September 30, 2023.”.

SUBTITLE E. SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS

Sec. 3041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “School Resource Officers Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 3042. Section 102 of the School Safety and Security Contracting Procedures Act of 2004, effective April 13, 2005 (D.C. Law 15-350; D.C. Official Code § 5-132.02), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (d) is amended to read as follows:

“(d) The Metropolitan Police Department shall publish on its website by the beginning of each school year a description of the School Safety Division’s planned deployment of school resource officers.”.

(b) Subsection (e) is repealed.

SUBTITLE F. CONCEALED PISTOL LICENSE APPEALS

Sec. 3051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Concealed Pistol License Appeals Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 3052. Section 6 of the Office of Administrative Hearings Establishment Act of 2001, effective March 6, 2002 (D.C. Law 14-76; D.C. Official Code § 2-1831.03), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (b-2) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (4) is repealed.

(2) A new paragraph (5) is added to read as follows:

734 “(5) Adjudicated cases pursuant to section 908 of the Firearms Control
735 Regulations Act of 1975, effective June 16, 2015 (D.C. Law 20-279; D.C. Official Code § 7-
736 2509.08), including:

737 “(A) Any appeal pending at the Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board
738 as of October 1, 2023; provided, that each such pending appeal shall be transferred to the Office
739 for adjudication and re-docketed in accordance with the procedures of the Office; and

740 “(B) Any motion for reconsideration of a decision issued by the Concealed
741 Pistol Licensing Review Board prior to October 1, 2023, that is pending on or filed after October
742 1, 2023; provided that:

743 (i) Each such motion filed before October 1, 2023, with the
744 Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board shall be transferred to and adjudicated by the Office
745 of Administrative Hearings; and

746 “(ii) Each such motion filed on or after October 1, 2023, shall be
747 filed with and adjudicated by the Office of Administrative Hearings.

748 (b) A new subsection (b-31) is added to read as follows:

749 “(b-31) This act shall apply to all adjudicated cases involving imposition of a civil fine
750 for violations of An Act To enable the blind and the otherwise physically disabled to participate
751 fully in the social and economic life of the District of Columbia, approved October 21, 1972 (86
752 Stat. 972; D.C. Official Code § 7-1001 *et seq.*) (“Act”), pursuant to section 6 of the Act.”.

753 Sec. 3053. The Firearms Control Regulations Act of 1975, effective September 24, 1976
754 (D.C. Law 1-85; D.C. Official Code § 7-2501.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 902(g) (D.C. Official Code § 7-2509.02(g)) is amended by striking the phrase “Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board established pursuant to section 908” and inserting the phrase “Office of Administrative Hearings pursuant to section 908” in its place.

(b) Section 903(c) (D.C. Official Code § 7-2509.03(c)) is amended by striking the phrase “Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board established pursuant to section 908” and inserting the phrase “Office of Administrative Hearings pursuant to section 908” in its place.

(c) Section 905 (D.C. Official Code § 7-2509.05) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (a)(4) is amended by striking the phrase “Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board established pursuant to section 908” and inserting the phrase “Office of Administrative Hearings pursuant to section 908” in its place.

(2) Subsection (b)(3) is amended by striking the phrase “Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board” and inserting the phrase “Office of Administrative Hearings” in its place.

(d) Section 908 (D.C. Official Code § 7-2509.08) is amended as follows:

(1) The heading is amended to read as follows:
“Sec. 908. Concealed pistol licensing appeals.”.

(2) The lead-in language of subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:
“(a) The Office of Administrative Hearings shall hear appeals from:”.

(3) Subsection (b) is repealed.

(4) Subsection (c) is repealed.

(5) Subsection (d) is amended to read as follows:

“(d)(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the procedures for appeals under this section shall be governed by 1 DCMR § 1200 *et seq.* until such time as the Chief Administrative

778 Law Judge may repeal them and re-establish procedures by rule pursuant to section 8 of the
779 Office of Administrative Hearings Establishment Act of 2001, effective March 6, 2002 (D.C.
780 Law 14-76; D.C. Official Code § 2-1831.05).

781 “(2) Rules adopted by the Chief Administrative Law Judge to govern the
782 procedures for appeals under this section shall include the manner and time of appeals, and that
783 the burden of production of evidence, and the burden of persuasion, shall be upon the applicant
784 or licensee that is challenging a denial of an application or renewal application or limitation or
785 revocation of a license.”.

786 (5) Subsection (e) is amended to read as follows:

787 “(e) Hearings conducted pursuant to this section shall be confidential and not open to the
788 public.”.

789 (6) Subsection (f) is repealed.

790 Sec. 3054. Section 6(e) of An Act To Control the possession sale, transfer, and use of
791 pistols and other dangerous weapons in the District of Columbia, to provide penalties, to
792 prescribes rules of evidence, and for other purposes, approved July 8, 1932 (47 Stat. 651; D.C.
793 Official Code § 22-4506(e)), is amended by striking the phrase “Concealed Pistol Licensing
794 Review Board established pursuant to section 908 of the Firearms Control Regulations Act of
795 1975, passed on 2nd reading on December 17, 2014 (Enrolled version of Bill 20-930)” and
796 inserting the phrase “Office of Administrative Hearings pursuant to section 908 of the Firearms
797 Control Regulations Act of 1975, effective June 16, 2015 (D.C. Law 20-279; D.C. Official Code
798 § 7-2509.08)” in its place.

799 Sec. 3055. Section 1108(c-2)(7) of the District of Columbia Comprehensive Merit
800 Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-
801 611.08(c-2)(7)), is repealed.

802 Sec. 3056. The Mayor shall provide for the orderly transfer of all records of pending and
803 adjudicated appeals of the Concealed Pistol Licensing Review Board to the Office of
804 Administrative Hearings.

805 **TITLE IV. PUBLIC EDUCATION SYSTEMS**

806 **SUBTITLE A. UNIFORM PER STUDENT FUNDING FORMULA**

807 Sec. 4001. Short title.

808 This subtitle may be cited as the “Funding for Public Schools and Public Charter Schools
809 Increase Amendment Act of 2024”.

810 Sec. 4002. The Uniform Per Student Funding Formula for Public Schools and Public
811 Charter Schools Act of 1998, effective March 26, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-207; D.C. Official Code §
812 38-2901 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

813 (a) Section 103(b)(1) (D.C. Official Code § 38-2902(b)(1)) is amended by striking the
814 phrase “For Fiscal Year 2022 and 2023” and inserting the phrase “For Fiscal Years 2022, 2023,
815 and 2024” in its place.

816 (b) Section 104(a) (D.C. Official Code § 38-2903(a)) is amended by striking the phrase
817 “\$12,419 per student for Fiscal Year 2023” and inserting the phrase “\$13,046 per student for
818 Fiscal Year 2024” in its place.

819 (c) Section 105 (D.C. Official Code § 38-2904) is amended by striking the tabular array
820 and inserting the following tabular array in its place:

“Grade Level	Weighting	Per Pupil Allocation in FY 2024
“Pre-Kindergarten 3	1.34	\$17,482
“Pre-Kindergarten 4	1.30	\$16,960
“Kindergarten	1.30	\$16,960
“Grades 1-5	1.00	\$13,046
“Grades 6-8	1.08	\$14,090
“Grades 9-12	1.22	\$15,916
“Alternative program	1.52	\$19,830
“Special education school	1.17	\$15,264
“Adult	0.91	\$11,872

821 ”.

822 (d) Section 106(c) (D.C. Official Code § 38-2905(c)) is amended to read as follows:

823 “(c) The supplemental allocations shall be calculated by applying weightings to the

824 foundation level as follows:

825 “Special Education Add-ons:

“Level/ Program	Definition	Weighting	Per Pupil Allocation in FY 2024
“Level 1: Special Education	Eight hours or less per week of specialized services	0.97	\$12,655

“Level 2: Special Education	More than 8 hours and less than or equal to 16 hours per school week of specialized services	1.20	\$15,655
“Level 3: Special Education	More than 16 hours and less than or equal to 24 hours per school week of specialized services	1.97	\$25,701
“Level 4: Special Education	More than 24 hours per week of specialized services which may include instruction in a self-contained (dedicated) special education school other than residential placement	3.49	\$45,531
“Special Education Compliance	Weighting provided in addition to special education level add-on weightings on a per- student basis for special education compliance	0.099	\$1,292
“Attorney’s Fees Supplement	Weighting provided in addition to special education level add-on weightings on a per- student basis for attorney’s fees	0.089	\$1,161
“Residential	District of Columbia Public Schools school or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting, in addition to their instructional program	1.67	\$21,787

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“General Education Add-ons:

“Level/ Program	Definition	Weighting	Per Pupil Supplemental Allocation FY 2024
“Elementary ELL	Additional funding for English language learners in grades PK3-5	0.50	\$6,523
“Secondary ELL	Additional funding for English language learners in grades 6-12, alternative students, adult students, and students in special education schools	0.75	\$9,785
“At-risk	Additional funding for students in foster care, who are homeless, on TANF or SNAP, or behind grade level in high school	0.24	\$3,131
“At-risk High School Over- Age Supplement	Weighting provided in addition to at-risk weight for students who are behind grade level in high school	0.06	\$783
“At-risk > 40% Concentration Supplement	Weighting provided in addition to at-risk weight for the percentage of at-risk students above 40% enrolled in a school where at least 40% of the student population is at-risk	0.05	\$652
“At-risk > 70%	Weighting provided in addition to at-risk weight for the percentage of at-risk students	0.05	\$652

Concentration Supplement	above 70% where at least 70% of the student population is at-risk		
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“Residential Add-ons:

“Level/ Program	Definition	Weighting	Per Pupil Allocation in FY 2024
“Level 1: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 1 special education needs of students living in a District of Columbia Public Schools school or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	0.37	\$4,827
“Level 2: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 2 special education needs of students living in a District of Columbia Public Schools school or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	1.34	\$17,482
“Level 3: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 3 special education needs of students living in a District of Columbia Public Schools school or public charter school that provides	2.89	\$37,703

	students with room and board in a residential setting		
“Level 4: Special Education - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours level 4 special education needs of limited and non- English proficient students living in a District of Columbia Public Schools school or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	2.89	\$37,703
“LEP/NEP - Residential	Additional funding to support the after-hours limited and non-English proficiency needs of students living in a District of Columbia Public Schools school or public charter school that provides students with room and board in a residential setting	0.668	\$8,715

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831 “Special Education Add-ons for Students with Extended School Year (“ESY”) Indicated

832 in Their Individualized Education Programs (“IEPs”):

“Level/ Program	Definition	Weighting	Per Pupil Allocation in FY 2024
“Special Education Level 1 ESY	Additional funding to support the summer school or program need for students who	0.063	\$822

	require extended school year (ESY) services in their IEPs.		
“Special Education Level 2 ESY	Additional funding to support the summer school or program need for students who require extended school year (ESY) services in their IEPs	0.227	\$2,961
“Special Education Level 3 ESY	Additional funding to support the summer school or program need for students who require extended school year (ESY) services in their IEPs	0.491	\$6,406
“Special Education Level 4 ESY	Additional funding to support the summer school or program need for students who require extended school year (ESY) services in their IEPs	0.491	\$6,406

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834 (e) Section 106a(c-2)(1) (D.C. Official Code § 38-2905.01(c-2)(1) is amended by striking
835 the phrase “based on projected enrollments” and inserting the phrase “based on actual audited
836 enrollments for public charter schools and projected enrollments for DCPS schools” in its place.

837 (f) Section 106b (D.C. Official Code § 38-2905.02) is amended as follows:

838 (1) Subsection (b) is amended to read as follows:

839 “(b) There shall be deposited into the Fund \$18,164,919 in Fiscal Year 2023. Of the
840 amount deposited into the Fund in Fiscal Year 2023, 52.62%, equivalent to \$9,559,091, shall be

transferred to the DCPS and 47.38%, equivalent to \$8,605,828 (“FY23 PCS Amount”), shall be allocated to public charter schools pursuant to subsection (d) of this section.”.

(2) A new subsection (b-1) is added to read as follows:

“(b-1) There shall be deposited into the Fund \$19,835,082 in Fiscal Year 2024. Of the amount deposited into the Fund in Fiscal Year 2024, 52.62%, equivalent to \$10,437,996, shall be transferred to the DCPS and 47.38%, equivalent to \$9,397,086 (“FY24 PCS Amount”), shall be allocated to public charter schools pursuant to subsection (d) of this section.”.

(3) Subsection (c) is amended by striking the sentence “Of the amounts deposited into the Fund, 52.62%, equivalent to \$9,559,091, shall be transferred to the DCPS and 47.38%, equivalent to \$8,605,828 (“PCS Amount”), shall be allocated to public charter schools pursuant to subsection (d) of this section.”.

(4) Subsection (d) is amended by striking the phrase “PCS Amount” and inserting the phrase “FY23 PCS Amount” in its place.

(5) A new subsection (d-1) is added to read as follows:

“(d-1) From the FY24 PCS Amount, in School Year 2023-2024, the Mayor shall award each public charter school \$196.11 per enrolled pupil, which the Mayor shall pay in quarterly installments throughout Fiscal Year 2024 according to the schedule and enrollment figures the Mayor uses to make Formula payments pursuant to section 107b(b); provided, that the first quarterly payment may be paid by October 15, 2023.”.

SUBTITLE B. EDUCATION TO EMPLOYMENT DATA SYSTEM

Sec. 4011. Short title.

This title may be cited as the “Education to Employment Data System Act of 2023”.

Sec. 4012. Section 202 of the Department of Education Establishment Act of 2007, effective June 12, 2007 (D.C. Law 17-9; D.C. Official Code § 38-191), is amended by adding new subsections (b-1) and (b-2) to read as follows.

“(b-1)(1) The Deputy Mayor for Education may implement a centralized data system to collect, analyze, and publish data on how and how well the District’s education and workforce-related programs, and the agencies and entities implementing those programs, are serving District residents throughout their lifetimes, with the goal of enabling the linkage, management, and monitoring of information on individuals’ progress through education, workforce training, and employment.

“(2) Each agency of the District government, including independent agencies, shall cooperate with the Deputy Mayor for Education in the implementation of the centralized data system, including by sharing k-12 education data, higher education data, adult education data, and workforce data with the Deputy Mayor for Education to the maximum extent allowed by federal law and notwithstanding the provisions of any District law otherwise limiting the sharing of such information.

“(3) For the purposes of this subsection, the term:

(A) “Education data” means data relating to individual and aggregate student performance, including, as applicable:

“(i) Student progress information, including enrollment, retention, attendance, credit hours earned, graduation status, graduation rate, and time to degree;

“(ii) Academic performance data, including grade point average, state assessment results, major selected, courses taken, and degree earned;

885 “(iii) Financial aid status, including amount and type of financial
886 aid awarded;

887 “(iv) College and career preparedness data, including:
888 “(I) Participation in career and technical education, work-
889 based learning programs, early college, and dual enrollment programs; and
890 “(II) Free Application for Federal Student Aid completion
891 status; and

892 “(v) Student demographics and data by special population statuses,
893 including status as:
894 “(I) Eligible for English learner and special education
895 services;

896 “(II) A recipient of assistance under the Supplemental
897 Nutrition Assistance Program, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program, or Pell
898 grants;

899 “(III) Under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency
900 or court; and

901 “(IV) Experiencing homelessness.

902 “(B) “Workforce data” means data relating to participation in workforce
903 programs and workforce outcomes, including:
904 “(i) Employment information, including type of employment,
905 employer name, location of employment, wage, number of hours worked, and length of
906 employment;

907 “(ii) Employment-related benefits data and status, including
908 unemployment status and data; and

909 “(iii) Workforce program participation data, including program
910 enrollment, program completion status, and credentials earned.

911 “(C) “Workforce program” includes apprenticeship programs, subsidized
912 employment programs, occupational skills training, on-the-job training, internships, and job
913 readiness programs.”.

914 “(b-2) The Department of Education shall be considered an authorized representative of
915 the Office of the State Superintendent of Education and the Higher Education Licensure
916 Commission under applicable federal, District, and state statutes for the purpose of accessing and
917 compiling student record data for research purposes.”.

918 Sec. 4013. Section 13(f)(3) of the District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation
919 Act, approved August 28, 1935 (49 Stat. 946; D.C. Official Code § 51-113(f)(3)), is amended by
920 striking the phrase “system of public employment offices” and inserting the phrase “system of
921 public employment offices or with responsibility or authority for the evaluation of workforce or
922 education programs” in its place.

923 **SUBTITLE C. UNIVERSAL PAID LEAVE ADMINISTRATION FUND**

924 Sec. 4021. Short title.

925 This subtitle may be cited as the “Universal Paid Leave Implementation Fund
926 Amendment Act of 2023”.

927 Sec. 4022. The Universal Paid Leave Implementation Fund Act of 2016, effective
928 October 8, 2016 (D.C. Law 21-160; D.C. Official Code § 32-551.01 *et seq.*), is amended as
929 follows:

(a) Section 1152 (D.C. Official Code § 32-551.01) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (b)(2) is amended as follows:

(A) The lead-in language is amended by striking the phrase “Fund the” and inserting the phrase “Fund each fiscal year the” in its place.

(B) Paragraph (A) is amended by striking the phrase “No more than 8.75% of money in the Fund” and inserting the phrase “No more than 15% of money deposited in the Fund” in its place.

(C) Paragraph (B) is amended by striking the phrase “money in the Fund” and inserting the phrase “money deposited in the Fund” in its place.

(D) Paragraph (C) is amended by striking the phrase “money in the Fund” and inserting the phrase “money deposited in the Fund” in its place.

(2) A new subsection (b-1) is added to read as follows:

“(b-1) For the purposes of subsection (b) of this section, the phrase “money deposited in the Fund” means the amount of revenue that the Chief Financial Officer estimates will be deposited in the Fund, as indicated in the certification provided by the Chief Financial Officer pursuant to section 104a(b) of the Universal Paid Leave Amendment Act of 2016, effective November 13, 2021 (D.C. Law 24-45; D.C. Official Code § 32-541.04a(b)), during the fiscal year in which the money in the Fund will be used to Fund the Universal Paid Leave Administration Fund.”.

(b) Section 1152(c) (D.C. Official Code § 32-551.02(c)) is amended by striking the phrase “provided, that no more than 6% of the money appropriated annually for administration may be used for public education;”.

**SUBTITLE D. CHILD CARE SUBSIDIES FOR CHILDREN WITH
DISABILITIES**

Sec. 4031. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Enhancing Child Care Access for Children with Disabilities Act of 2023”.

Sec. 4032. Section 3 of the Day Care Policy Act of 1979, effective September 19, 1979 (D.C. Law 3-16; D.C. Official Code § 4-402(a)) is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (5) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting the phrase “; and” in its place.

(2) A new paragraph (6) is added to read as follows:

“(6) Provide a program which supports the child care needs of children with disabilities and their families.”.

(b) A new subsection (b-1) is added to read as follows:

“(b-1) The Department is further authorized to:

“(1) Make grants, as authorized by section 7g(c)(5) of the State Education Office Establishment Act of 2000, effective March 10, 2015 (D.C. Law 20-196; D.C. Official Code § 38-2613(c)(5)), to child development facilities to support the costs of maintaining dedicated slots for infants, toddlers, and school-aged children with disabilities; and

“(2) Establish a referral program to place children with disabilities in dedicated grant-funded slots.”.

Sec. 4033. Section 7g(c) of the State Education Office Establishment Act of 2000, effective March 10, 2015 (D.C. Law 20-196; D.C. Official Code § 38-2613(c)), is amended as follows:

(a) Paragraph (3)(C) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a semicolon in its place.

(b) Paragraph (4) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting the phrase “; and” in its place.

(c) A new paragraph (5) is added to read as follows:

“(5) Make grants to child development facilities to support the costs of maintaining dedicated slots for infants, toddlers, and school-aged children with disabilities and to implement a referral program to place children with disabilities in dedicated grant-funded slots.”.

SUBTITLE E. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION COMPENSATION

Sec. 4041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “State Board of Education Compensation Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 4042. Section 1110 of the District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-611.10), is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 1110. Compensation — Members of the State Board of Education.

“(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, each member of the State Board of Education shall, in 2024, receive an annual salary of \$20,000; except, the President of the Board of Education shall, in 2024, receive an annual salary of \$21,000. In each subsequent year, the

annual salary of each member and the President of the State Board of Education shall be increased by a percentage equal to the percentage by which the consumer price index increased in the prior calendar year.

“(b) The salaries of the members and President of the State Board of Education shall not be subject to step increases or any other increase not provided for by this section.

“(c) For the purposes of this section, the term “consumer price index” means the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (index for all items in the Washington-Arlington-Alexandria area), or its successor.”.

Sec. 4043. Applicability.

This subtitle shall apply as of January 1, 2024.

SUBTITLE F. LIBRARY COLLECTIONS ACCOUNT

Sec. 4051. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Library Collections Account Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 4052. Section 14(b) of An Act To establish and provide for the maintenance of a free public library and reading room in the District of Columbia, effective September 20, 2012 (D.C. Law 19-168; D.C. Official Code § 39-114(b)), is amended by striking the phrase “Public Library” and inserting the phrase “Public Library, and to support the procurement, processing, and cataloging of library materials” in its place.

SUBTITLE G. PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL TEACHER COMPENSATION GRANTS

Sec. 4061. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Public Charter School Teacher Compensation Grants Amendment Act of 2023”.

1019 Sec. 4062. Section 3(b) of the State Education Office Establishment Act of 2000,
1020 effective October 21, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-176; D.C. Official Code § 38-2602(b)), is amended by
1021 adding a new paragraph (18A) to read as follows:

1022 “(18A) Have the authority to issue grants to public charter schools for the
1023 provision of direct compensation payments to teachers employed by the public charter school
1024 after September 30, 2023, to support the recruitment and retention of teachers by the public
1025 charter school;”.

1026 **SUBTITLE H. CHILDREN AND YOUTH MARIJUANA EDUCATION AND**
1027 **PREVENTION GRANTS**

1028 Sec. 4071. Short title.

1029 This subtitle may be cited as the “Children and Youth Marijuana Education Grants
1030 Amendment Act of 2023”.

1031 Sec. 4072. Section 3(b) of the State Education Office Establishment Act of 2000,
1032 effective October 21, 2000 (D.C. Law 13-176; D.C. Official Code § 38-2602(b)), is amended as
1033 follows:

1034 (a) Paragraph (31C) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a semicolon
1035 in its place.

1036 (b) Paragraph (32) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting the phrase “;
1037 and” in its place.

1038 (c) A new paragraph (33) is added to read as follows:

1039 “(33) Issue grants to local education agencies and non-profit organizations to
1040 provide education to children and youth on the impacts and risks of marijuana use and to support
1041 marijuana use prevention and intervention programs.”.

1042 **TITLE V. HUMAN SUPPORT SERVICES**

1043 **SUBTITLE A. PUBLIC HEALTH LABORATORY**

1044 Sec. 5001. Short title.

1045 This subtitle may be cited as the “Public Health Laboratory Act of 2023”.

1046 Sec. 5002. Establishment of Public Health Laboratory within the Department of Health.

1047 (a) There is hereby established within the Department of Health the Public Health

1048 Laboratory.

1049 (b) The Public Health Laboratory shall provide public health laboratory services for the

1050 District of Columbia, including services in the following functional areas:

1051 (1) Disease prevention, control, and surveillance:

1052 (2) Public health preparedness and response;

1053 (3) Food safety and surveillance;

1054 (4) Reference and specialized testing;

1055 (5) Monitoring and detection of health threats:

1056 (6) Clinical diagnostic testing;

1057 (7) Environmental testing;

1058 (8) Other services to monitor and detect health threats; and

1059 (9) Public health related research.

1060 (b) The Department may provide public health laboratory services to the federal

1061 government, state and local jurisdictions, academic institutions, nonprofit organizations, and

1062 hospitals and other health-related entities.

1063 Sec. 3003. Fees.

1064 The Mayor may establish fees, pursuant to section 3004, for the provision of services by
1065 the Public Health Laboratory and may impose charges for reasonable costs related to expert
1066 witness testimony provided by employees of the Public Health Laboratory, including the cost of
1067 any preparation, travel, and related administrative functions.

1068 Sec. 3004. Rules.

1069 The Mayor, pursuant to Title I of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act,
1070 approved October 21, 1968 (82 Stat. 1204; D.C. Official Code § 2-501 *et seq.*), may issue rules
1071 to implement this subtitle.

1072 Sec. 3005. Transfer of public health laboratory services and functions from the
1073 Department of Forensic Sciences.

1074 The Mayor shall provide for the orderly transfer to the Department of Health of all of the
1075 authority, responsibilities, duties, assets, and functions of the Department of Forensic Sciences
1076 pertaining to public health laboratory services and functions by October 1, 2023.

1077 Sec. 3006. Continuity of rules and regulations.

1078 Rules and regulations relating to a function which is transferred by this subtitle to the
1079 Department of Health, and any Mayor's order or administrative order not in conflict with this
1080 subtitle and relating to a function transferred by this subtitle, shall continue in force until such
1081 time as new rules, regulations, or orders governing the subject thereof are issued.

1082 Sec. 3007. Conforming amendments.

1083 (a) The Department of Forensic Sciences Establishment Act of 2011, effective August 17,
1084 2011 (D.C. Law 19-18; D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

1085 (1) Section 2 (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.01) is amended as follows:

1086 (A) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences
1087 and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its
1088 place.

1089 (B) Paragraph (4A) is amended by striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences
1090 and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its
1091 place.

1092 (C) Paragraph (6) is repealed.

1093 (2) Section 3 (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.02) is amended as follows:

1094 (A) The section heading is amended by striking the phrase “Forensic
1095 Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory”
1096 in its place.

1097 (B) Subsection (a-1) is amended by striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences
1098 and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its
1099 place.

1100 (C) The lead-in language of section 3(b) (D.C. Official Code § 5-
1101 1501.02(b)) is amended by striking the phrase “forensic science services and public health
1102 laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “forensic science services” in its place.

1103 (3) Section 5(a)(4) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.04(a)(4)) is amended by striking
1104 the phrase “forensic science services and public health laboratory services” and inserting the
1105 phrase “forensic science services” in its place.

1106 (4) The section heading of section 5a is amended by striking the phrase “Forensic
1107 Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory”
1108 in its place.

1109 (5) Section 7(c-1), (c-2), and (c-3) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.06(c-1), (c-2),
1110 and (c-3)) are repealed.

1111 (6) Section 7a (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.06a) is amended as follows:

1112 (A) Subsection (a) is amended by striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences
1113 and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its
1114 place.

1115 (B) Subsection (b) is amended to read as follows:

1116 “(b) Fees collected for forensic science services provided by the Department shall be
1117 deposited into the Fund.”.

1118 (7) Section 9 (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.08) is amended as follows:

1119 (A) Subsection (a-1) is repealed.

1120 (B) Subsection (b) is amended by striking the phrase “subsections (a) and
1121 (a-1)” and inserting the phrase “subsection (a)” in its place.

1122 (8) The lead-in language of section 11(a) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.10(a)) is
1123 amended by striking the phrase “forensic science services and public health laboratory services”
1124 and inserting the phrase “forensic science services” in its place.

1125 (9) Section 12(a-1) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.10(a-1)) is amended as follows:

1126 (A) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “forensic science
1127 discipline or public health laboratory” and inserting the phrase “forensic science discipline” in its
1128 place.

1129 (B) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the semicolon at the end and
1130 inserting the phrase “; and” in its place.

1131 (C) Paragraph (4) is amended by striking the semicolon at the end and
1132 inserting a period in its place.

1133 (D) Paragraphs (5) and (6) are repealed.

1134 (10) Section 13 (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.12) is amended as follows:

1135 (A) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “forensic science
1136 services or public health laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “forensic science services”
1137 in its place.

1138 (B) Paragraph (4A) is amended by striking the phrase “forensic science
1139 services and public health laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “forensic science
1140 services” in its place.

1141 (C) Paragraph (5) is amended by striking the phrase “the Department,
1142 forensic sciences services, or public health laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “the
1143 Department or forensic science services” in its place.

1144 (11) Section 13a(a) (not yet codified) is amended as follows:

1145 (A) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “forensic science
1146 services or public health laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “forensic science services”
1147 in its place.

1148 (B) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “forensic science
1149 services or public health laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “forensic science services”
1150 in its place.

1151 (12) Section 14(a)(11) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.14) is amended by striking
1152 the phrase “forensic science services or public health laboratory services” and inserting the
1153 phrase “forensic science services” in its place.

1154 (13) Section 15 (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.14) is amended as follows:

1155 (A) Paragraph (1)(A) is amended by striking the phrase “forensic science
1156 services or public health laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “forensic science services”
1157 in its place.

1158 (B) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “the Department,
1159 forensic sciences services, or public health laboratory services” and inserting the phrase “the
1160 Department or forensic science services” in its place.

1161 (14) Section 16(a)(1)(A) (D.C. Official Code § 5-1501.15(a)(1)(A)) is amended
1162 by striking the phrase “forensic science services and public health laboratory services” and
1163 inserting the phrase “forensic science services” in its place.

1164 (b) Section 2(f)(48) of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective May 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-
1165 142; D.C. Official Code § 1-523.01(f)(48)) is amended by striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences
1166 and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its
1167 place.

1168 (c) The District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978,
1169 effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-601.01 *et seq.*), is amended as
1170 follows:

1171 (1) Section 406(b)(31) (D.C. Official Code § 1-604.06(b)(31)) is amended by
1172 striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” both places it appears and
1173 inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its place.

1174 (2) Section 908(20) (D.C. Official Code § 1-609.08(20)) is amended by striking
1175 the phrase “Forensic Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic
1176 Sciences Laboratory” in its place.

1177 (d) Section 101(10) of the Address Confidentiality Act of 2018, effective July 3, 2018
1178 (D.C. Law 22-118; D.C. Official Code § 4-555.01(10)), is amended by striking the phrase
1179 “Forensic Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences
1180 Laboratory” in its place.

1181 (e) Section 201(6A) of the Sexual Assault Victim’s Rights Act of 2014, effective
1182 November 20, 2014 (D.C. Law 20-139; D.C. Official Code § 4-561.01(6A)), is amended by
1183 striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase
1184 “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its place.

1185 (f) Section 2(f) of the Retired Police Officer Redeployment Amendment Act of 1992,
1186 effective September 29, 1992 (D.C. Law 9-163; D.C. Official Code § 5-761(f)), is amended by
1187 striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase
1188 “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its place.

1189 (g) Section 1013(a)(1)(J) of the Firearms Control Regulations Act of 1975, effective
1190 April 27, 2021 (D.C. Law 23-274; D.C. Official Code § 7-2510.13(a)(1)(J)), is amended by
1191 striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” and inserting the phrase
1192 “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its place.

1193 (h) Section 23-1910(b)(3) of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended by by
1194 striking the phrase “Forensic Sciences and Public Health Laboratory” both times it appears and
1195 inserting the phrase “Forensic Sciences Laboratory” in its place.

1196 Sec. 3008. Applicability.

1197 Section 3007(a)(1)(A) and (B), (a)(2)(A) and (B), (a)(4), (a)(6)(A), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f),
1198 (g), and (h) shall apply on the date of applicability of the Restoring Trust and Credibility to

1199 Forensic Sciences Amendment Act of 2022, enacted without the Mayor’s signature on January
1200 19, 2023 (D.C. Act 24-780; 70 DCR 937).

1201 **SUBTITLE B. MEDICAID HOSPITAL PROVIDER REIMBURSEMENT**

1202 Sec. 3011. Short title.

1203 This subtitle may be cited as the “Medicaid Hospital Provider Reimbursement Act of
1204 2023”.

1205 Sec. 3012. Definitions

1206 For the purposes of this subtitle, the term:

1207 (1) “Department” means the Department of Health Care Finance.

1208 (2) “Hospital” shall have the same meaning as provided in section 2(a)(1) of the
1209 Health-Care and Community Residence Facility, Hospice and Home Care Licensure Act of
1210 1983, effective February 24, 1984 (D.C. Law 5-48; D.C. Official Code § 44-501(a)(1)), except as
1211 provided in subparagraph (B) of this paragraph.

1212 (B) The term “hospital” shall not include:

1213 (i) Any hospital operated by the federal government;

1214 (ii) Any specialty hospital, as defined by the State Plan;

1215 (iii) Any hospital that is reimbursed under a specialty hospital

1216 reimbursement methodology under the State Plan; or

1217 (iv) Any hospital that serves an economically underserved area, as
1218 defined in the State Plan or as defined by the Department in the managed care directed payment
1219 proposal.

1220 (3) “Medicaid” means the medical assistance programs authorized by Title XIX
1221 of the Social Security Act, approved July 30, 1965 (79 Stat. 343; 42 U.S.C. § 1396 *et seq.*)

(“Social Security Act”), and by section 1 of An Act To enable the District of Columbia to receive Federal financial assistance under title XIX of the Social Security Act for a medical assistance program, and for other purposes, approved December 27, 1967 (81 Stat. 744; D.C. Official Code §§ 1-307.02)), and administered by the Department.

(4) “State Plan” means the District’s Medicaid State Plan.

Sec. 3013. Medicaid hospital provider reimbursement.

(a) Effective October 1, 2023, the Department shall fund capitation rates for each managed care organization at a level that ensures:

(1) Minimum outpatient hospital reimbursement at a level that is in accordance with the Medicaid Hospital Outpatient Supplemental Payment Act of 2017, effective December 13, 2017 (D.C. Law 22-33; D.C. Official Code § 44-664.03);

(2) Minimum inpatient hospital reimbursement at a level that is in accordance with the Medicaid Hospital Inpatient Rate Supplement Act of 2017, effective December 13, 2017 (D.C. Law 22-33; D.C. Official Code § 44-664.13 *et seq.*);

(3) Maximum outpatient hospital reimbursement of 110% of the fee-for-service rate methodology set forth in the State Plan; and

(4) Maximum inpatient hospital reimbursement equal to the negotiated managed care hospital rates that were in effect on March 31, 2023 for the managed care organization for inpatient hospital services.

(b) If necessary to ensure federal concurrence with the provisions of this section, the Department shall, by September 30, 2023, submit a managed care directed payment proposal to the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Sec. 3014. Annual hospital costs reporting.

1245 By December 31, 2023, and by December 31 of each year thereafter, the Department
1246 shall publish on its website a report on District all-payer hospital costs.

1247 **SUBTITLE C. CHILD WEALTH BUILDING ACT**

1248 Sec. 3021. Short title.

1249 This subtitle may be cited as the “Child Wealth Building Amendment Act of 2023”.

1250 Sec. 3022. The Child Wealth Building Act of 2021, effective February 18, 2022 (D.C.
1251 Law 24-53; D.C. Official Code § 4-681.01 *et seq.*), is amended by adding a new section 10a to
1252 read as follows:

1253 Sec. 10a. Applicability.

1254 “(a) This act shall apply upon the date of inclusion of its fiscal effect in an approved
1255 budget and financial plan.

1256 “(b) The Chief Financial Officer shall certify the date of the inclusion of the fiscal effect
1257 in an approved budget and financial plan and provide notice to the Budget Director of the
1258 Council of the certification.

1259 “(c)(1) The Budget Director shall cause the notice of the certification to be published in
1260 the District of Columbia Register.

1261 “(2) The date of publication of the notice of the certification shall not affect the
1262 applicability of this act.”.

1263 **TITLE VI. OPERATIONS AND INFRASTRUCTURE**

1264 **SUBTITLE A. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE AND CANNABIS BOARD MEMBER**
1265 **COMPENSATION**

1266 Sec. 6001. Short title.

1267 This subtitle may be cited as the “Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Board Stipend
1268 Amendment Act of 2023”.

1269 Sec. 6002. Section 1108(c-1)(8) of the District of Columbia Government Comprehensive
1270 Merit Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-139; D.C. Official Code § 1-
1271 611.08(c-1)(8)), is amended to read as follows:

1272 “(8) Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Board members shall be entitled to:

1273 “(A) Compensation at the hourly rate of \$50 for time spent in performance
1274 of duties at meetings, not to exceed \$18,000 for each board member per year; and

1275 “(B) A stipend of \$250 per week for their service on the board, except for
1276 the Chairperson, who shall be entitled to a stipend of \$350 per week.”.

1277 **SUBTITLE B. DC WATER FACILITY WORK FUND**

1278 Sec. 6011. Short title.

1279 This subtitle may be cited as the “DC Water Facility Work Fund Amendment Act of
1280 2023”.

1281 Sec. 6012. The Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002, effective May
1282 21, 2002 (D.C. Law 14–137; D.C. Official Code § 50-921.01 *et seq.*), is amended by adding a
1283 new section 9r to read as follows:

1284 “Sec. 9r. DC Water Facility Work Fund.

1285 “(a) There is established as a special fund the DC Water Facility Work Fund (“Fund”),
1286 which shall be administered by the Mayor in accordance with subsection (c) of this section.

1287 “(b) All revenue received by the District government from the District of Columbia
1288 Water and Sewer Authority pursuant to the Memorandum of Agreement between the District

1289 Department of Transportation and the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority, dated
1290 October 4, 2002 (“Agreement”), shall be deposited in the Fund.

1291 “(c) Money in the Fund shall be used to pay for or reimburse costs incurred by the
1292 District government for the design, construction, inspection, and administration of DC Water
1293 facility work covered by the Agreement.

1294 “(d)(1) The money deposited into the Fund but not expended in a fiscal year shall not
1295 revert to the unassigned fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia at the end
1296 of a fiscal year, or at any other time.

1297 “(2) Subject to authorization in an approved budget and financial plan, any funds
1298 appropriated in the Fund shall be continually available without regard to fiscal year limitation.”.

1299 **SUBTITLE C. CRIAC ASSISTANCE FUND**

1300 Sec. 6021. Short title.

1301 This subtitle may be cited as the “CRIAC Assistance Fund Amendment Act of 2023”.

1302 Sec. 6022. Section 113a(d) of the District Department of the Environment Establishment
1303 Act of 2005, effective September 11, 2019 (D.C. Law 23-16, D.C. Official Code § 8-151.13a), is
1304 amended to read as follows:

1305 “(d) Money remaining in the Fund at the end of a fiscal year shall revert to the
1306 unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia.”

1307 **SUBTITLE D. MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEE**

1308 Sec. 6031. Short title.

1309 This subtitle may be cited as the “Motor Vehicle Registration Fee Abatement for Certain
1310 Disability Tags Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 6032. Section 3(b)(1) of Title IV of the District of Columbia Revenue Act of 1937, approved August 17, 1937 (50 Stat. 681; D.C. Official Code § 50-1501.03(b)(1)), is amended as follows:

(a) The tabular array in subparagraph (A) is amended by adding the following row at the end:

“Class VI (vehicles 3,500 pounds or greater that have been issued a disability license tag by the Department of Motor Vehicles pursuant to 18 DCMR § 2704, if the vehicle weight above 3,499 pounds is due to the accommodation of a disability).....\$72”.

(b) A new subparagraph (D) is added to read as follows:

“(D) Class VI shall only apply after September 30, 2023.”.

SUBTITLE E. BUILDING ENERGY PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

Sec. 6041. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Pandemic Impacts on Building Energy Performance Investments Amendment Act of 2023”.

Sec. 6042. Section 301 of the CleanEnergy DC Omnibus Amendment Act of 2018, effective March 22, 2019 (D.C. Law 22-257; D.C. Official Code § 8-1772.21), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “Beginning January 1, 2021” and inserting the phrase “Beginning January 1, 2024” in its place

(2) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “Beginning January 1, 2027” and inserting the phrase “Beginning January 1, 2030” in its place.

1333 (3) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase “Beginning January 1, 2033”
1334 and inserting the phrase “Beginning January 1, 2036” in its place.

1335 (b) Subsection (b)(1)(A) is amended by striking the phrase “No later than January 1,
1336 2021” and inserting the phrase “No later than January 1, 2024” in its place.

1337 **SUBTITLE F. PARKING BENEFIT EQUIVALENT**

1338 Sec. 6051. Short title.

1339 This subtitle may be cited as the “Parking Benefit Equivalent Amendment Act of 2023”.

1340 Sec. 6052. Section 302a of the Sustainable DC Omnibus Amendment Act of 2014,
1341 effective June 24, 2020 (D.C. Law 23-113; D.C. Official Code § 32-152.01), is amended as
1342 follows:

1343 (a) Subsection (b) is amended by striking the word “If” and inserting the phrase “Starting
1344 on January 1, 2026, if” in its place.

1345 (b) Subsection (f) is amended by striking the phrase “October 1, 2020” and inserting the
1346 phrase “October 1, 2026” in its place.

1347 (c) Subsection (g) is amended by striking the phrase “October 1, 2022” and inserting the
1348 phrase “October 1, 2027” in its place.

1349 **TITLE VII. FINANCE AND REVENUE**

1350 **SUBTITLE A. POOLED AND MASTER CAPITAL PROJECT**

1351 **REALLOCATIONS**

1352 Sec. 7001. Short title.

1353 This subtitle may be cited as the “Pooled and Master Capital Project Reallocations Act of
1354 2023”.

1355 Sec. 7002. Chapter 3 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as
1356 follows:

1357 (a) The table of contents is amended by:

1358 (1) Adding a new section designation to read as follows:

1359 “47-312. Pooled capital project reallocations.”; and

1360 (2) Striking the phrase “47-312, 47-313. [Reserved]” and inserting the phrase “47-
1361 313. [Reserved]” in its place.

1362 (b) Section 47-310 is amended as follows:

1363 (1) Subsection (a) is amended as follows:

1364 (A) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase “; or” and inserting a
1365 semicolon in its place.

1366 (B) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase “sub-project;” and
1367 inserting the phrase “sub-project; or” in its place.

1368 (C) A new paragraph (4) is added to read as follows:

1369 “(4) Reallocate funds from the master capital project or a sub-project to a new or
1370 existing capital project that is implemented by the requesting agency but owned by another
1371 agency; provided, that the scope of the new or existing capital project shall not be inconsistent
1372 with the scope of the master capital project or sub-project from which the funds are to be
1373 reallocated.”.

1374 (2) A new subsection (b-1) is added to read as follows:

1375 “(b-1) An agency director may include as part of a request submitted under subsection (a)
1376 of this section a request that a new capital project be established, to which funds will be
1377 reallocated pursuant to subsection (a)(4) of this section, and the Office of the Chief Financial

1378 Officer shall, as part of the process of reallocating the funds, establish a new capital project
1379 pursuant to the agency director's request.”.

1380 (3) Subsection (c) is amended by striking the phrase “pursuant to subsections (a)
1381 and (b) of this section” and inserting the phrase “pursuant to this section” in its place.

1382 (4) Subsection (e) is amended by striking the word “reallocations” and inserting
1383 the phrase “reallocations, including the establishment of any new capital projects associated with
1384 the reallocation,” in its place.

1385 (c) A new section 47-312 is added to read as follows:

1386 “§ 47-312. Pooled capital project reallocations.

1387 “(a) For any pooled capital project that is included in an approved budget and financial
1388 plan and is owned and implemented by the same agency (the “implementing agency”), the
1389 Mayor may submit requests to the Office of Budget and Planning (“OBP”) of the Office of the
1390 Chief Financial Officer to reallocate funds from the pooled capital project to a new or existing
1391 capital project that is implemented by the implementing agency and owned either by the
1392 implementing agency or another agency; provided, that the scope of the new or existing capital
1393 project shall not be inconsistent with the scope of the pooled capital project from which the funds
1394 are to be reallocated.

1395 “(b) Upon receiving a request under subsection (a) of this section, OBP shall reallocate
1396 the funds as requested, unless OBP determines that the funds are not available for reallocation.

1397 “(c) The Mayor may include as part of a request submitted under subsection (a) of this
1398 section a request that a new capital project be established, to which funds will be reallocated
1399 pursuant to subsection (a) of this section, and the Office of the Chief Financial Officer shall, as

1400 part of the process of reallocating the funds, establish a new capital project pursuant to the
1401 Mayor’s request.

1402 “(d) After funds are reallocated pursuant to this section, the reallocated funds may
1403 obligated and expended.

1404 “(e) Subchapter IV of this chapter of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code
1405 shall not apply to reallocations, including the establishment of any new capital projects
1406 associated with the reallocation, made pursuant to this section.”.

1407 **SUBTITLE B. BALLPARK FUND EXCESS REVENUE**

1408 Sec. 7011. Short title.

1409 This subtitle may be referred to as the “Use of Excess Ballpark Fund Revenue
1410 Amendment Act of 2023”.

1411 Sec. 7012. Section 102(d) of the Ballpark Omnibus Financing and Revenue Act of 2004,
1412 effective April 8, 2005 (D.C. Law 15-320; D.C. Official Code § 10-1601.02(d)), is amended by
1413 striking the phrase “in which it accrues” and inserting the phrase “in which it accrues; provided
1414 further, that the first \$20 million of any excess that accrues during Fiscal Year 2023, Fiscal Year
1415 2024, Fiscal Year 2025, Fiscal Year 2026, or Fiscal Year 2027 shall be deposited in the
1416 unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund during the fiscal year in which it accrues” in its
1417 place.

1418 Sec. 7013. Applicability.

1419 This subtitle shall apply as of September 1, 2023.

1420 **SUBTITLE C. DEDICATED REVENUE ADJUSTMENTS**

1421 Sec. 7021. Short title.

1422 This subtitle may be referred to as the “Dedicated Revenue Adjustments Amendment Act
1423 of 2023”.

1424 Sec. 7022. Title III of the Law to Legalize Lotteries, Daily Numbers Games, and Bingo
1425 and Raffles for Charitable Purposes in the District of Columbia, effective May 3, 2019 (D.C.
1426 Law 22-312; D.C. Official Code § 36-621.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

1427 (a) Section 311(a)(3) (D.C. Official Code § 36-621.11(a)(3)) is repealed.

1428 (b) Section 315(c) (D.C. Official Code § 36-621.15(c)) is repealed.

1429 Sec. 7023. Section 9q(b) of the Department of Transportation Establishment Act of 2002,
1430 effective November 13, 2021 (D.C. Law 24-45; D.C. Official Code § 50-921.25), is amended to
1431 read as follows:

1432 “(b) There shall be deposited into the Fund such amounts as may be appropriated to the
1433 Fund.”.

1434 Sec. 7024. (a) Section 4 of the West End Parcels Development Omnibus Act of 2010,
1435 effective April 8, 2011 (D.C. Law 18-368; D.C. Official Code § 1-325.181), is repealed.

1436 (b) Any funds remaining in the West End Library and Fire Station Maintenance Fund,
1437 established by section 4 of the West End Parcels Development Omnibus Act of 2010, effective
1438 April 8, 2011 (D.C. Law 18-368; D.C. Official Code § 1-325.181), at the end of Fiscal Year
1439 2023 shall revert to the unrestricted fund balance of the General Fund of the District of
1440 Columbia.

1441 Sec. 7025. Section 3(c) of the Housing Production Trust Fund Act of 1989, effective
1442 March 16, 1989 (D.C. Law 7-202; D.C. Official Code § 42-2802(c)), is amended as follows:

1443 (a) Paragraph (16) is amended by striking the phrase “Beginning October 1, 2003” and
1444 inserting the phrase “Beginning October 1, 2003, and ending September 30, 2023” in its place.

1445 (b) A new paragraph (16B) is added to read as follows:

1446 “(16B)(A) In Fiscal Year 2024, the lesser of:

1447 “(i) 15% of the real property transfer tax imposed by D.C. Official

1448 Code § 47-903 and 15% of the deed recordation tax imposed by D.C. Official Code § 42-1103;

1449 and

1450 “(ii) 102% of the amount deposited into the Fund in Fiscal Year

1451 2023 pursuant to paragraph (16) of this subsection;

1452 “(B) In Fiscal Year 2025 and each subsequent fiscal year, the lesser of:

1453 “(i) 15% of the real property transfer tax imposed by D.C. Official

1454 Code § 47-903 and 15% of the deed recordation tax imposed by D.C. Official Code § 42-1103;

1455 and

1456 “(ii) 102% of the amount deposited into the Fund in the prior fiscal

1457 year pursuant to this paragraph;”.

1458 Sec. 7026. Section 47-2002(d) is amended as follows:

1459 (a) The existing text is designated as paragraph (1).

1460 (b) The newly designated paragraph (1) is amended by striking the phrase “5% of the

1461 sales tax revenue” and inserting the phrase “In Fiscal Year 2023, 5% of the sales tax revenue” in

1462 its place.

1463 (c) A new paragraph (2) is added to read as follows:

1464 “(2) In Fiscal Year 2024 and each subsequent fiscal year, there shall be dedicated

1465 to the Arts and Humanities Fund, from the sales tax revenue collected at the rate provided by the

1466 lead-in language of subsection (a) of this section, the lesser of:

1467 “(A) 5% of the sales tax revenue collected at the rate provided by the lead-
1468 in language of subsection (a) of this section that is not dedicated to legislatively proposed or
1469 existing tax increment financing districts or pledged to the benefit of holders of District bonds or
1470 notes existing on or before October 30, 2018; or

1471 “(B) An amount equal to 102% of the amount dedicated to the Arts and
1472 Humanities Fund in the prior fiscal year pursuant to this subsection.”.

1473 Sec. 7027. Section 47-2002.07 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as
1474 follows:

1475 (a) The existing text is designated as subsection (a).

1476 (b) The newly designated subsection (a) is amended by striking the phrase “All of the
1477 revenue” and inserting the phrase “In Fiscal Year 2023, all of the revenue” in its place.

1478 (c) A new subsection (b) is added to read as follows:

1479 “(b) In Fiscal Year 2024 and each subsequent fiscal year, from the revenue described in
1480 subsection (a) of this section there shall be dedicated annually to paying the District’s annual
1481 operating subsidies to WMATA the lesser of:

1482 “(1) All of such revenue; or

1483 “(2) An amount equal to 102% of the amount dedicated pursuant to this
1484 subsection from such revenue in the prior fiscal year to paying the District’s annual operating
1485 subsidies to WMATA.”.

1486 Sec. 7028. Section 5102(b) of the Early Childhood Educator Pay Equity Fund
1487 Establishment Act of 2021, effective November 13, 2021 (D.C. Law 24-45; D.C. Official Code §
1488 1-325.431(b)), is amended as follows:

1489 (a) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase “\$73,883,680 in local funds” and
1490 inserting the phrase “\$69,508,332 in local funds” in its place.

1491 (b) Paragraph (4) is amended by striking the phrase “\$74,878,268 in local funds” and
1492 inserting the phrase “\$70,502,920 in local funds” in its place.

1493 **SUBTITLE D. FISCAL STABILIZATION RESERVE**

1494 Sec. 7031. Short title.

1495 This subtitle may be referred to as the “Fiscal Stabilization Reserve Amendment Act of
1496 2023”.

1497 Sec. 7032. Section 47-392.02(j-1)(2) of the District of Columbia Official Code is
1498 amended as follows:

1499 (a) Subparagraph (B) is amended by striking the phrase “; and” and inserting a semicolon
1500 in its place.

1501 (b) Subparagraph (C) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting the phrase
1502 “; and” in its place.

1503 (c) A new subparagraph (D) is added to read as follows:

1504 “(D) To fund locally appropriated expenditures in Fiscal Year 2023.”.

1505 **SUBTITLE E. DESIGNATED FUND TRANSFERS**

1506 Sec. 7041. Short title.

1507 This title may be cited as the “Designated Fund Transfer Act of 2023”.

1508 Sec. 7042. (a) Notwithstanding any provision of law limiting the use of funds in the
1509 accounts listed in the following chart, the Chief Financial Officer shall transfer in Fiscal Year
1510 2023 the following amounts from certified fund balances and other revenue in the identified
1511 accounts to the unassigned fund balance of the General Fund of the District of Columbia:

Agency Code	Fund Number	Fund Name	Amount
Local Funds			
BG0	1010094	Employees' Compensation Fund Agency Balance	\$3,586,302
CJ0	1010015	Fair Elections Fund	\$1,054,052
JA0	1010100	SNAP Reinvestment Fund	\$850,936
GC0	1010106	Student Enrollment Fund	\$112,512
GD0	1010118	Special Education Enhancement Fund	\$3,291,246
GD0	1010112	Community Schools Fund	\$872,867
GD0	1010213	School Safety and Positive Climate	\$602,606
KG0	1010206	Clean Rivers Impervious Area Charge Assistance Fund	\$1,417,016
GD0	1010161	Early Childhood Educator Pay Equity Fund	\$5,396,000
Special Purpose Revenue Funds			
AE0	1243	Public-Private Partnership Administration Fund	\$8,735
AM0	1460	Eastern Market Enterprise Fund	\$168,795
AT0	606	Recorder of Deeds Surcharge	\$1,278,435
BD0	2001	Historic Landmark and Historic District Filing Fees	\$41,851
BX0	600	Arts and Humanities Enterprise Fund	\$755,656
CB0	616	Litigation Support Fund	\$3,054,000
CE0	6160	Revenue Generating Activities	\$433,410

CE0	6170	Library Collections - Online Book Sales	\$30,447
CE0	6108	Copies and Printing	\$2,945
CF0	619	DC Jobs Trust Fund	\$365,815
CF0	625	Apprenticeship Fees	\$243,469
CF0	618	Wage Theft Fund	\$65,766
CI0	600	OCTFME Special Purpose Revenue Fund	\$24,950
CQ0	6000	Rental Unit Fee Fund	\$11,701
CR0	6013	Basic Business License Fund	\$3,083,619
CR0	6008	Real Estate Guarantee and Education Fund	\$766,140
CR0	6040	Corporate Recordation Fund	\$647,789
CR0	6009	Real Estate Appraisal Fee	\$59,321
CR0	6010	OPLA - Special Account	\$1,491
CU0	6030	Green Building Fund	\$79,801
DB0	610	DHCD Unified Fund	\$70,390
EB0	609	Industrial Revenue Bond Program Fund	\$554,001
EB0	632	AWC and NCRC Development (Economic Development Special Account)	\$2,061,753
EN0	6160	Streetscape Loan Relief Fund	\$5,094
EN0	632	Small Business Capital Access Fund	\$320
FB0	601	FEMS Reform Fund	\$8,963,038
FB0	1200	Automated External Defibrillator Regulatory Fee Fund	\$5,044
FL0	600	Corrections Trustee Reimbursement	\$3,907,406

FL0	605	Correction Reimbursement - Juveniles	\$20
FX0	610	Medical Examiner Pathology and Toxicology	\$322,033
GA0	633	DHHS Afterschool Program - Copayment	\$164,074
GD0	618	Student Residency Verification Fund	\$368,456
GD0	620	Child Development Facilities Fund	\$221,709
GL0	619	State Athletic Acts Program and Office Fund	\$110,840
HA0	602	Enterprise Fund Account	\$1,103,210
HC0	643	Board of Medicine	\$4,702,061
HC0	679	Opioid Abatement Fund	\$2,082,410
HC0	632	Pharmacy Protection	\$1,597,891
HC0	605	SHPDA Fees	\$1,220,612
HC0	655	SHPDA Admission Fee	\$82,961
HC0	673	DOH - Regulatory Enforcement Fund	\$20,170
HC0	661	ICF/MR Fees and Fines	\$18,205
HC0	644	Non-Lapsing Spay and Neutering Fund	\$696
HT0	635	Individual Insurance Market Affordability and Stability	\$2,979,384
HT0	633	Medicaid Recovery Audit Contractor	\$1,401
JA0	603	SSI Payback	\$389,552
KA0	6140	Tree Fund	\$2,006,598
KA0	6910	Vision Zero Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety	\$1,468,853

KA0	6901	DDOT Enterprise Fund – Non-Tax Revenues	\$738,532
KA0	6031	DC Circulator Bus System - NPS Mall Route	\$651,776
KA0	6030	DC Circulator Bus System	\$609,979
KE0	601	Parking Meter WMATA	\$3,331,803
KG0	6700	Sustainable Energy Trust Fund	\$3,000,000
KG0	645	Pesticide Product Registration	\$394,654
KG0	607	Underground Storage Tank Fine	\$199,436
KG0	668	Lead Poisoning Prevention Fund	\$135,000
KG0	646	Storm Water Fees	\$54,935
KG0	655	Storm Water In Lieu Fee	\$45,418
KG0	6500	Benchmarking Enforcement Fund	\$23,627
KG0	634	Soil Erosion/Sediment Control	\$12,674
KT0	6082	Solid Waste Disposal Fee Fund	\$4,352,582
KT0	6010	Super Can Program	\$21,746
KT0	6052	Solid Waste Diversion Fund	\$20,082
KV0	6258	Motor Vehicle Inspection Station	\$196,545
LQ0	6017	ABC - Import and Class License Fees	\$524,029
RJ0	640	Subrogation Fund	\$444,387
RJ0	1240	Captive Insurance Fund	\$248,048
RM0	629	Agreements with Independent Agencies	\$44,208
SR0	2910	Foreclosure Mediation Fund	\$3,700

SR0	2100	HMO Assessment	\$2,662
TC0	2400	Public Vehicles for Hire Consumer Service	\$137,037
UC0	1631	Prepaid Wireless 911 Charges	\$600,275
UC0	1630	911 and 311 Assessments	\$41,016
VA0	600	Office of Veterans Affairs Fund	\$15,000
Dedicated Tax Funds			
AM0	2225	West End Library / Firehouse Maintenance Fund	\$2,129,112
EB0	6603	St Elizabeths East Campus Redevelopment	\$444,165
GD0	0111	Healthy Schools Fund	\$181,021
RM0	1118	Gambling Addiction Treatment & Research	\$600,000
KE0	0110	WMATA Operating	\$739,138
LQ0	0110	Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration	\$366,728
BK0	0610, 6111, 6114	Ballpark Fund	\$24,834,000

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1513 (c) The amounts identified in subsection (a) of this section shall be made available as set

1514 forth in the approved Fiscal Year 2024 Budget and Financial Plan.

1515 Sec. 7043. Applicability.

1516 This subtitle shall apply as of September 1, 2023.

1517 **SUBTITLE F. SUBJECT-TO-APPROPRIATION PROVISIONS**

1518 Sec. 7051. Section 301 of the Second Chance Amendment Act of 2022, effective March
1519 10, 2023 (D.C. Law 24-284; 70 DCR 913), is repealed.

1520 Sec. 7052. The Public Restroom Facilities Installation and Promotion Act of 2018,
1521 effective April 11, 2019 (D.C. Law 22-280; D.C. Official Code § 10-1051 *et seq.*), is amended
1522 by adding a new section 5a to read as follows:

1523 “Sec. 5a. Applicability.

1524 “(a) Section 3(d)–(g) of this act shall apply upon the date of inclusion of their fiscal effect
1525 in an approved budget and financial plan.

1526 “(b) The Chief Financial Officer shall certify the date of the inclusion of the fiscal effect
1527 in an approved budget and financial plan and provide notice to the Budget Director of the
1528 Council of the certification.

1529 “(c)(1) The Budget Director shall cause the notice of the certification to be published in
1530 the District of Columbia Register.

1531 “(2) The date of publication of the notice of the certification shall not affect the
1532 applicability of this act.”.

1533 **TITLE VIII. APPLICABILITY; FISCAL IMPACT; EFFECTIVE DATE**

1534 Sec. 8001. Applicability.

1535 Except as otherwise provided, this act shall apply as of October 1, 2023.

1536 Sec. 8002. Fiscal impact statement.

1537 The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal
1538 impact statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975,
1539 approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).

1540 Sec. 8003. Effective date.

1541 This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the
1542 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of congressional review as
1543 provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December
1544 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of
1545 Columbia Register.

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MEMORANDUM

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Director
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FROM: Megan D. Browder
Deputy Attorney General
Legal Counsel Division

DATE: March 22, 2023

SUBJECT: Legal Sufficiency Review of “Fiscal Year 2024 Budget Support Act of 2023”
(AE-23-269)

This is to Certify that this Office has reviewed the above-referenced legislation and has found it to be legally sufficient. If you have any questions regarding this certification, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 724-5524.

Megan D. Browder